

**RESOLUTION NO. R-2014-\_\_\_\_\_**

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE QUORUM COURT OF THE COUNTY OF BENTON,  
STATE OF ARKANSAS, A RESOLUTION TO BE ENTITLED:

**A RESOLUTION EXPRESSING THE QUORUM COURT'S  
POSITION ON THE FUNDING OF EMS SERVICES**

WHEREAS, the Quorum Court adopted Ordinance No. O-2013-68 creating an  
Emergency Medical Services District (EMSD) for a portion of Benton County and  
establishing a fee to fund the services to be provided by the District, and

WHEREAS, the effective date of the described ordinance has been placed on hold  
due to it having been challenged through the process of referendum, and

WHEREAS, the referendum on the described ordinance has been called for  
February 11, 2013, and

WHEREAS, it would be useful for voters in the referendum election to have  
information as to whether the Quorum Court will provide funding for ambulance service  
for the area within the EMSD if the EMSD and the related fee are not approved at the  
referendum election.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE QUORUM COURT OF BENTON  
COUNTY, ARKANSAS THAT:

**ARTICLE 1.** The Quorum Court does not intend to provide any funding for  
ambulance services between March 31, 2014 and December 31, 2014 in the proposed  
area to be covered by the EMSD if the EMSD and the related fee are not approved at the  
February 11, 2013 referendum election.

ADOPTED this \_\_\_\_ day of January, 2013

APPROVED:

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ROBERT D. CLINARD, COUNTY JUDGE

DATE SIGNED: \_\_\_\_\_

ATTEST:

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TENA O'BRIEN, COUNTY CLERK  
DATE ADOPTED: \_\_\_\_\_  
SPONSOR: JP  
Votes For: \_\_\_\_\_ Votes Against: \_\_\_\_\_  
Abstain: \_\_\_\_ Present: \_\_\_\_ Absent: \_\_\_\_